ARCHITECTS BUSY

PLANS DRAWN FOR BUILDINGS TO COST \$304,400.

\$170,000 IN KANSAS CITY

SOME LARGE BUILDINGS PLANNED FOR OTHER PLACES.

A \$70,000 Elevator for the Harroun at St. Joseph-One Government Contract for \$50,000 Secured by Local Firm-Partial List of Plans.

The sound of the hammer, the buzz of the Faw and the cry of the brickmason to "more mort" can be heard in Kansas City these days from morn until night. Never in the history of the city has there been so much building stage of construction. This, too, with all commodities at a higher price

Not only are many buildings being erected in Kansas City that have not been designed by local architects, but there is not an architectural firm in the city that is not doing a great amount of work. The greater part of the building is being done by the citizens of Kansas City, though many outsiders are putting up buildings as investments.

During the past ten days Kansas City architects have drawn the plans for buildings, the aggregate cost of which is \$304,400. This breaks all previous records in the city's history. The following are some of the buildings for which plans have been

Shepard & Farrar, architects: A colonial brick residence for Oliver Carat, on Gladstone boulevard, to cost \$8,000; two brick residences fronting on Bellefontains for the same party to cost \$3,000 each. L. G. Middaugh, architect:

For H. L. Tomlin, a brick residence on the corner of Twenty-ninth and McGee, to cost \$4,500. A brick residence, which will cost \$5,500

for J. C. Mahoney at the corner of Four- Three Negro Women and a Boy Are teenth and Park. A frame residence for R. J. Long. 2626 Brooklyn avenue, to cost \$3,500.

A stone and frame residence for George Day, corner of St. John and Askew avehdes; it will cost \$4,000.

Wyandotte.

A hotel of twenty-eight rooms at Dos Rioz Mexico, for the Mexican Gulf Agricultural Company. It will be of frame and will cost \$100.90.

S. R. Frink, architect:
Three frame dwellings for C. W. Whitehead at 100, 168 and 110 Woodruff avenue; one to cost \$3,000 and the other two \$2,500 made No Mistake.

A brick and frame house at 242 Woodruff Evenue for Walter Brown: cost, \$2,500.

Two frame cottages at 340 Colorado avenue, for F. M. Jackson, to cost \$1,500 each.

A frame store building on Eighteenth Etreet near Prospect for Mr. Short, to cost \$3,000.

C. A. Smith, architect:
An eight room brick addition to Switzer school, corner of Eighteenth and Madison, to cost \$25,000.
An eight room addition to the school building corner of Linwood and Woodland svenues, to cost \$25,000.
Residence for Thomas B. Tomb at 320 Wabash avenue, an eight room stone house to cost \$4,500.

TRINITY OF ACCIDENTS.

Edna Lawson, B. L. Foster and Will Baker Receive Accidents While Riding Bicycles.

Edna Lawson, of 3166 Penn street, was slightly injured yesterday morning by be-ing thrown from a bicycle at Southwest boulevard and Neville avenue. She was on her way to Rosedale and ran into a vehicle driven by Frank Maddox, a negro, who lives in Rosedale. Miss Lawson was thrown from her wheel and received a few cuts and bruises about her head and shoulders. She was attended by Dr. Ewing and then sent to her home in a carriage.

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B. L. Foster, of 501 Kansas avenue, Kansas City, Kas., was injured slightly Friday evening about 7 o'clock at St. Louis avenue and Hickory streets, under pretty much the same circumstances that Miss Lawson was hurt. Foster ran into a carriage driven by J. E. Fidler, of 205 Delaware street, and was thrown from his wheel. Fidler told the police in No. 2 district that Foster was responsible for the accident which befell him and Foster said that Fidler ran into him when he could easily have avoided doing so. No arrests were made by the police.

Will Baker, a negro living at 1903 East Seventeenth street, took a "header" from his bicycle at Fifth and Tracy avenue yesterday afternoon. He was riding down Tracy avenue, north from Independence avenue, when he lost control of his wheel. Is crashed into a curbstone and he pitched headforemost over the bicycle to the side was removed to police headquarters and was treated by Dr. Manahan. After shader was seriously cut and bruised about his head. Dr. Manahan attended him at police headquarters and then sent him home.

This Vale of Tears.

Gertrude Moore, a negro girl who lives with her mother in Kansas City, Kas., went with her mother in Kansas City, Kas., with her mother in Kansas City, Kas., with her mother in Kansas City, Kas.,

Regular customers get it

as fast as they want it-

Apollo galvanized iron,

Irregular customers don't,

in these piping times. Apollo Iron and Steel Company, Pittsburgh

CTEEL ROOFING, METALLATH, CORRUGATED IRON, ETC.

TOWNLEY METAL CO. Apollo Iron Agency.

WOULD TAKE A SOLOMON.

ample Batch of Cases Which Judge of the Police Court Has to Decide.

trying to sell a lot of lead pipe and gas fixtures at the H. Hey Rag and Metal Company's place of business, at Third and Oak streets, was sentenced to the workhouse for 280 days. The lead pipe which the negro had in his possession was new and had evidently been cut from a private dwelling house. M. H. Joergens, a plumber at 415 East Fifteenth street, identified a portion of the pipe as that he had placed in a house at 321 Lexington avenue.

William Eckels, a negro who claimed to have come to Kansas City about a week ago from Birmingham. Ala., was called upon to answer to a charge of disorderly conduct. He was picked up at Sixteenth street and Madison avenue by officer Godley and he could not give a very good account of himself. Justice Spitz fined him 200 and then gave him a stay of execution on his promise to get out of town in one hour.

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Roscoe McDivitt, of 1422 Cypress avenue, borrowed a horse from S. Nushotz, of 1122 Walnut street, a week ago and the latter accused him of driving the animal much too hard. After he took the horse home Nushotz claimed that he falled to return a bridle, which he had also borrowed. He asked him for the bridle a half dozen times and McDivitt passed by Nushotz place of business and he poked his head in at the open door and said: "Have you got your bridle yet?" McDivitt's conduct angered Nushotz and he struck him in the face. Then the two men mixed things up in a lively manner and a policeman arrested them both. Justice Spitz, after hearing the testimony, said he thought that honors were about even and both men were discharged with a mild reprimand.

T. H. Smith, a liveryman at Twelfth street and Kansas avenue, who drove through a funeral procession at Fourteenth street and Grand avenue a few days ago, was fined \$2. Smith explained to the judge that he was driving a horse that was unmanageable and that he had no intention of disturbing the procession. This is the first fine that has been imposed in the police court for this offense for many months. Smith paid his fine.

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"This is a funny ould wur-r-id," said Henry McCabe, when arraigned to answer to a charge of being drunk. "Be jabers, and Oi didn't know Oi was dr-r-unk until Oi fell into the hands of a gay copper. Of just come to town to have a little fun wid de boys and tin minits after Oi landed here they had me in behind thim bar-r-s. And now it's costin' me \$3 to find out that a man cannot take anything for his stummick's sake widout costin' half his pile. And this is what yez call liberty of which yez boast."

ARRESTED FOR SHOPLIFTING.

Accused of Looting Counters of Jones Dry Goods Co.

Three negro women, Estella Taylor and Estella and Ella Watson, were arrested yesterday afternoon by Detectives Ennis and Boyle, as they were emerging from the

A brick residence at the corner of Fourleenth and Brooklyn for Dr. Hamilton, to cost 44,000.

Additions and alterations for Norton Thayer, agent, at 608 and 610 East Ninth Street, at an outlay of 54,000.

A \$15,000 residence for C. R. Middaugh, on Seventh near Benton avenue.

A brick veneered residence for Sam Bloogh, on Fark avenue mear Tenth street, to cost 33,000.

Farker & Son, architests:

Six seven-room cottages on Smart avenue near Colorado, to cost \$1,500 each, for 10 Bales.

A twelve room 34,000 brick residence for Thomas W. Abney, corner of Tenth and Indiana avenue.

A grain elevator for the Harroun Elevator Company, of St. Joseph, with a capacity of 56,000 bushels. When completed it will cost \$30,000.

At Hymer, Kas, an elevator with 30,000 bushels capacity for the "101 Cattle Company," Cost, \$4,000.

W. W. Rose, architect:

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Chief of Police Lees, of San Francisco Made No Mistake.

Chief of Police Hayes received a letter yesterday from Chief of Police I. W. Lees. of San Francisco, containing the record of or san Francisco, containing the record of John Russell, who was arrested in Kansas City about a month ago by Detectives Keshlear and McAnany, and who is now serving a sentence of one year in the workhouse. Russell was arrested in company with a man who gave his name as Ed Williams. When they were searched at police hendquarters a lot of burglar tools and skeleton keys were found in their possession. Chief Hayes suspected that they were bad men and he had them sent to the workhouse for one year each.

Russell is an oldtime burglar and sneakthief. He was sent to the county jail in San Francisco for three months for petitiarceny on November 1, 1894. On May 14, 1896, he was sent to Folsom pritson for three years for burglary and larceny, and was discharged on June 15 last. After being discharged from prison he fell in with Williams, and the pair started East. Chief Lees writes that he knows nothing concerning Williams. Russell was known in San Francisco as Joseph Peterson, and he was sentenced to state's prison under that name. John Russell, who was arrested in Kansas

MAD AT HER MOTHER.

Gertrude Moore, While Despondent, Used Morphine in Order to Quit This Vale of Tears.

pany for \$4,000 Damages to His Children.

W. W. Bostwick has sued the Block Syrup and Preserve Company for \$4,000 damages because a pint can of red raspberry jam that he bought at a grocery store in the city contained a lot of fine glass. His the city contained a lot of line glass. His two little girls, Florence and lola, both under 14 years of age, ate of the jam and suffered secrious injury and sickness from it. Two petitions were filed asking \$2,000 in each case. Mr. Bostwick is represented by Walsh & Rezzelle. The jam was eaten March 29 last.

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J. F. Johnson, of 2112 Highland avenue, reported to the police yesterday that his 13-year-old son ran away from home last Tuesday and he wants him apprehended and detained until he can be notified. The missing lad was employed in Creehorn's machine shop on Nineteenth street, between Grand avenue and McGee street. When he left home he wore a gray cap and a gray coat, black knee trousers, black stockings and a white sweater. Johnson told Lieutenant Weber that the boy might be found at the home of his mother, Mrs. Bushey, of 19 East Sixteenth street. The couple have been separated for some time and the boy was making his home with his father.

Pennsylvania Anthracite Coal. TAL CO.

200 Wainut

We are selling Pennsylvania anthracite coal at \$8.50 per ton, delivered. Now is the time to buy your anthracite coal to save money. Central Coal & Coke Company, Keith & Perry building.

BOTH PRONOUNCED INCURABLE.

In the police court yesterday morning Will Standliff, the negro boy who was arrested Thursday by Officer Thompson while Them Strong and Happy.



"I was afflicted for twenty years and did not know what affled me. My husband employed three doctors, but they did me no good. I took different kinds of medicine, all to no effect. In 1835 a friend told me I had catarrh. I had a bad cough and running at the nose all the time. I was advised to try Pe-ru-na and I took four bot
| Tr. Hartman's free treatment for chronic catarrh has been the means of restoring a great multitude of discouraged, hopeless women to health. The following is a specimen recently received from Mary F. Bartholomew, St. Francisville, Ill. She says:

"About twelve years ago I was afflicted with female trouble (systemic catarrh). I doctored with several skillful physicians, but kept getting worse until I became bedfast. I remained in this condition about two years, under the attendance of four physicians.

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physicians.
"I concluded I would write Dr. Hartman for advice. I owe my life to Dr. Hartman and Pe-ru-na. My friends and neighbors never expected to see me well again. I am now able to assist with my household du-

covery is a sur-prise to everyone who knew me. My appetite was so poor I could eat scarcely anything: mediis the womaniy evcomto
elbut I can eat any and every thing now without pain. I cannot recom-I cannot recom-mend your medi-cines enough."
Catarrh is the bane of woman-kind. Nearly ev-ery case of socalled female com-

Mrs. M. M. King, Waterloo, N. C.

tles. I am now well of the catarrh. I believe Pe-ru-na saved my life. The doctors and all others failed. I can recommend your Pe-ru-na to all my friends. It is the best medicine in the world. You may use my name whenever you please."—Mrs. M. M. King.

called female complaint is due to catarrh of the pelvic organs, and ree from catarrh is generally a well woman. Catarrh of the pelvic organs makes more women miserable than all others diseases combined.

For Dr. Hartman's latest book on female diseases, address The Pe-ru-na Drug Manufacturing Company, Columbus, O. Sent free for a short time.

Remember that cholera morbus, cholera Infantum, summer complaint, bilious coilc, diarrhoea and dysentery are each and all catarrh of the bowels. Catarrh is the only correct name for these affections. Pe-ru-na is an absolute specific for these allments, which are so common in summer. Dr. Hartman, in a practice of over forty years, never lost a single case of cholera infantum, dysentery, diarrhoea, or cholera morbus, and his only remedy was Pe-ru-na. Those desiring further particulars should send for a free copy of "Summer Catarrh." Address Dr. Hartman, Columbus, O.

WHAT MR, ALLEY OFFERS

TERMS OF THE TELEPHONE FRAN-CHISE HE IS ASKING.

Gives City Fifty Telephones, Free Fir Alarm, \$6 for Police 'Phones, and Phones for \$36, \$18 and \$24 Respectively.

Mr. W. H. Alley, who is stopping at the Coates House, is calling upon the members of the common council and asking them to give a careful examination to the telephone franchise which he asks. Mr. Alley is confident that such an examina tion will convince the aldermen that his franchise is much more favorable to the city and the patrons of telephones than the franchise recently passed. Several of the aldermen have given assurances that they wish the very best pos-

sible terms for the city and people and that they will not vote for any franchise until they have carefully compared all ordinances pending before them. Mr. Alley was out of the city at the time of the recent meeting of the committee and although motice was sent to him he did not receive it in time to be present He feels that his ordinance is the mos

favorable to the city and would have received more consideration from the committee if he had been here at the time it was preparing its final draft of an ordinance.

Within a few days a company will be organized under the laws of Missouri if the members of the council decide to consider

the proposition.

Mr. Clarence S. Palmer, one of the attorneys representing Mr. W. h. Alley and his associates, who are asking for a telephone franchise, states the following as the chief points of difference between the Alley proposition and the ordinance recently passed granting the Independent Company a franchise:

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"First—The Alley proposition is to give the city, free of cost, fifty telephones; the Independent ordinance gives forty.

"Second—Mr. Alley will furnish the fire alarm service to the city free of charge; the Independent ordinance requires the city to pay \$6 per year for each instrument and also payment of the original cost.

"Third—Mr. Alley will furnish a system of telephones for police service for \$6 per year for each instrument; the Independent ordinance requires the same compensation and in addition the payment of the original cost of putting in the telephones.

"The Independent Company has talked a great deal rbout connecting with other independent lines, but has omitted to make any provision in the ordinance regarding the rates which might be charged. Mr. Alley is willing to insert a provision that the rate on all toll lines operated directly or indirectly with his system to any point within 300 miles shall be 25 cents.

"Fifth—If the changes suggested are made, Mr. Alley will put the rate for business telephones at \$36 per year, instead of \$40, as formerly stated, residences at \$24 per year, and party line residences at \$18 per year, with unlimited service. This is the rate now provided by the Kansas City revised ordinance, section 123; this is the rate in Detroit, and, assuming that there will be 2,000 business telephones, it will mean a saving on these lines alone to the people of \$24,000 per year.

"Sixth—The Alley Company will install telephones just as soon as its plant is completed and will make no charge to subscribers until 2,000 telephones are connected with its switchboard.

"Seventh—in the Independent ordinance Kansas City is given the right to purchase the plant at the expiration of the franchise, and it is very carefully provided that the city shall not pay anything for the rights which have already expired. We will consent to the purchase by the city after the

enor.
"Our idea is that the way to secure the

largest and most loyal patronage is to put our rates right down to those of Detroit, the city where there is the most success-ful competition to the Bell Company. The ordinance recently passed was carefully amended by the committees of the two amended by the committees of the upper house. We are willing to take the ordi-nance as amended by the committees and make the changes which we have before suggested, and if such an ordinance is passed will file our bond, accept the ordi-nance and build the plant."

CITY NEWS IN PARAGRAPHS.

G. S. Crane, of Checotah, I. T., who is at the St. Joseph hospital, has been very sick, but is now slowly improving.

About 600 Macabees will leave the city this morning at 8 o'clock on the Union Pacific for Bismarck grove, where the Macabees and their friends will picnic. A special train of nine cars has been chartered for the occasion.

The Missouri Pacific will have an excursion train out of here this morning at \$1.30 for St. Joseph. There is to be a picnic of the Woodmen of the World at St. Joseph and the Missouri Pacific has supplied a special train for the benefit of the Woodmen.

Woodmen.

At the First Universalist church, Tenth and Park avenue, Rev. Mr. Charles R. East, pastor, will preach both morning and evening. Morning subject: "Life Made Perfect by Faith." Evening topic: "The Devil of Discontent." being the first of a series of sermons on the general topic, "Modern Devils." Sunday school. 10 a. m.; Young People's Christian Union devotional meeting at 6:45 p. m.

MISS BERLIN AT TROOST.

Oratorio Prima Donna Will Be Heard During the Present Week.

The most noted singer who has ever appeared at a park in Kansas City will begin a special engagement at Troost this after noon. Miss Bertie Berlin is an oratorio prima donna and she has been called upon many times to sing the leading roles during big musical festivals. Although she has not yet been heard in this city, the Kansas City musicians who have heard Miss Berlin are loud in their praises of her

Miss Berlin are loud in their praises of her singing. Professor John Behr, who has but recently returned from the Texas-Colorado Chautauqua assembly, says that Miss Berlin created the greatest enthusiasm by her singing of the leading part in the grand oratorio, "The Holy City," there, and this is only line with her other triumphs.

For her introduction to a Kansas City audience she has chosen to sing the famous "Inflammatus," from "Stabat Mater," and she will also sing this afternoon the principal aria, "These Are They That Came," from "The Holy City."

Miss Berlin will be heard at both concerts to-day and at each evening concert this week. On Thursday night there will be a special programme of selections from grand opera, which will be rendered by Miss Berlin and Zimmerschied's military band. The programme this afternoon will be:

"Red, White and Blue" (J. H. Andrews).

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Overture, "Raymond" (A. Thomas). Koven).
"These are They That Came," sonrano aria, from "The Holy City," Miss Bertie

Virginia Frolic" (Ho4man).

FAIRMOUNT'S LAST WEEK.

audeville Company Headed by Be atrice Moreland and Hondini Will Hold the Boards.

Fairmount park will close its amusement season on next Sunday, and during this, the final week, the stage will be held by vaudeville artists Beatrice Moreland, a great favorite with

the patrons of the Orpheum, will hold the principal place on the bill. Miss Moreland, when she was here last spring, was seen in a charming little comedy, "A Game of Golf," but during the present week she will Golf," but during the present week she will present three sketches which have never been seen in Kansas City. In the production of these short plays Miss Moreland will have the support of her own company. One of the especial features of the week will be the reappearance of Houdini, the "King of Handeuffs." When he appeared at the Orpheum some months ago the peolice and detective agencies of Kansas City took to the theater every pair of every kind of handcuffs which they could procure. These were fastened upon the hands of These were fastened upon the hands of the magician, now with his hands in from of him, and now with his hands behind his back, but in a few seconds he handed back to the officers the handcuffs, which had been opened and interlocked almost unde their very eyes. There are many theorie as to how Houdini manages to free himsel from this jali jewelry so easily, but he ha never been exposed yet.

The others who will be in the bill will be The others who will be in the bill will be Gardner and Hunt, musical artists; Ganow and Pollak, singers of novelties, and the Mullaly sisters, dancers. On the lawn, Robinson, the wire walker, will give an exhibition, and Lenge's Military band will be heard in concerts. There will be two performances and day heard in concerts. T formances each day.

A KANSAS CITY STAR.

Mabel Hite Will Appear as the Daugh ter of the Regiment at the Grand September 3.

Mabel Hite, the talented young daughter of Lew Hite, of the Owl drug store, will appear at the Grand during the week o September 3 as the daughter of the regi-



THE NEW ST. JAMES
THE Leading Medium Priced Hotel

DENVER.

ment in Hoyt's "A Milk White Flag." Miss Hite was for several years a well known child amateur of this city. During the past season she was with the "Late Mr. Early" company, Her return to her home as a star will be ah interesting theatrical event. She is not yet 16 years old and the promise of a successful career foreshadowed by her work as a child amateur is being fulfilled by her as a professional.

DROWNED IN A CISTERN

22 lbs. Best Granulated Sugar \$1.00.

Big Cut on Flour for Monday.

Davis' Royal No. 10, others get \$2.65.

our price, cwt. \$2.45 Davis' White Satin, others get \$2.35, \$2.00

our price, cwt. \$2.00 Bride, others get \$2.35, our price, \$2.00

cwt \$2.00
Charter Oak, others get \$2.50, our
price, cwt. \$2.15
Convention Hall, others get \$2.00, our
price, cwt \$1.65
25 lbs Best Cornmeal 25c
25 lbs Graham or Rye 65c

Big Cut on Meats for Monday.

Ionday, lb nderloin Hams, regular price 10c, for Se

represented, thing money.

1 ton Cudahy's Snow White Lard—
20-lb pails, \$1.10; 10-lb pails. 57e
5-lb pails, \$4c; 3-lb pails. 20e
Magnolia Butterine, 2-lb rolls. 20e
Choice Country Butter, lb. 15e
Choice Creamery Butter, lb. 17½c
Y. A. Cheese, each \$1.00
Full Cream Cheese, lb 15c
Big cut in Teas and Coffees—
Lipton's No. 1 Tea, lb. 69e

DEATH FOLLOWS AN ATTEMPT TO DRAW A PAIL OF WATER.

Life of George Orr, a 12-Year-Old Boy, Goes Out in Sight of Home -His Grandmother Heard His Cries of Distress.

George Orr, the 12-year-old son Thomas B. Orr, a car repairer living at 2345 Terrace street, was drowned in a cistern on his father's premises at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The lad was sent by his grandmother to draw a pail of water from the cistern, a short distance in the rear of the house. A large box, in which there is an opening at the top of sufficient size to permit of the passage of the body of a man, surrounds the cistern. Young Orr leaned over the box to draw up the pail, hand over hand, when he lost his balance and fell into the cistern.

His cries, as he struggled in the water, attracted the attention of the family dog, which ran frantically about the cistern, barking and making a series of noises that plainly denoted that some person was in distress. Neighbors heard the dog, and went to investigate. James Doran and Intermission.

"Hands Across the Sea" (Sousa).

Medley of Southern metodies (Herman).

Grand selection, "Robin Hood (De it removed to Duffy's undertaking establishment.

The cistern in which the lad was drowned contained about ten feet of water. The distance from the top of the curbing to the water is about six feet, and as the cistern is walled up, the lad could not secure a hold upon anything to pull himself out. His grandmother heard his cries when he ell into the cistern, but she is so old and feeble that she could not leave the house to render him any assistance. The boy's parents were absent from home at the

MANY WILL GET JOBS.

George J. Baer, District Census Supervisor, Will Soon Begin Work on Appointments.

Within the next two months George J Baer, supervisor of census for the Fifth Missouri district, will begin the selection



GEORGE J. BAER. Census Supervisor for This District.

of his deputies, sixty in number. Having received his official appointment, Mr. Baer is anxious to get through his preliminary preparations for the work, and wants to have his men selected in time to put them through a school of instruction so the through a school of instruction so they will be in perfect readiness to begin the work of taking names next June.

Although he has not fully outlined his plans yet it is probable he will select men for work in the city who are perfectly familiar with it, and for the country districts men who are acquainted in the neighborhood in which they will have to work. His object is to do the work in the most thorough manner possible so that not only will Kansas City be credited with its full population, but the smaller towns as well.

BETWEEN TWO COMPANIES.

not let the contract yesterday for the

Public Improvements Committee Will Decide Independence Avenue Paving To-morrow. The public improvements committee did

paving of Independence avenue, Benton to Cleveland, but will meet again on Monday morning and make up its mind whether the Rock Creek Company shall have it at \$1.90 a square yard or the Gilsonite Company at \$2.15 a square yard.
Other street paving contracts were let as follows: Indiana, Norledge to St. John; Barber Asphait Company; \$2.12.
Hickory, Eighth to Ninth; Barber Asphait Company; \$2.12.
Fourth, Wyandotte to Broadway; Barber Asphait Company; \$2.12.
Woodland court, Woodland to east end of court; Barber Asphait Company; \$2.12.
Genesee street, St. Louis to Ninth; A. R. Mense; \$1.593.
Guinotte; Forest to Lydia; Barber Asphait Company; \$2.12. at \$1.90 a square yard or the Gilsonite phalt Company: \$2.12. Woodland, Missouri to Independence; Barber Asphalt Company; \$2.12.

M. Quinn's Perfection Mocha and Java, ib. M. Quinn's Royal Mocha and Java, pound M. Quinn's Royal Mocha and Java, pound M. Quinn's Princess Blend, b. 25e M. Quinn's Princess Blend, b. 25e M. Quinn's Princess Blend, b. 20e Golden Rio Coffee, ib. 124e Package Coffee, ib. 124e Package Coffee, ib. 124e Package Coffee, ib. 125e BIG CUT ON SOAPS. 15 bars American Eagle Soap. 25e 11 bars Water Queen Soap. 25e 12 bars M. Quinn's Soap 25e 13 bars M. Quinn's Soap 25e Fairbanks' White Star Soap. 25e Swars Ivory Soap 65e Buttermilk Soap, box 5e Cocoanut Oli Soap, 12 bars in box, 20e 6 bars Pine Tar Soap. 25e 6 bars Pine Tar Soap. 25e Swansdown, 3 bars in box, regular price 25e, this sale. 15e 20 lbs. Washing Soda 25e 6 boxes Lye 25e 9 lbs. Lump Starch 25e 4 l0c packages I. X. L. Starch 25e Clothespins, dozen 1e 。 A COLLECTION OF FREAKS.

Quinn's Perfection Mocha and

MAIN STREET. M. QUINN 549-551 MAIN STREET.

Big Bargains for Monday

A comparison of our prices with others' will show conclusively how much lower we sell. Moreover, we don't raise the prices on some articles and lower

them on others. Everything in this big double store is

lower than it can be bought for elsewhere.

> Ossified Man. Horned Child and a "Mermaid" Left With Thomas Harmer, of Argentine.

Thomas Harmer, a hardware merchant on Metropolitan avenue, Argentine, has a collection of freaks which would cause barker for a fake sideshow to grow green with envy should he see them. The collecwith envy should he see them. The collection consists of an ossified man, the embalmed body of a child about 5 years old which has two well developed horns which had grown out from just above the hair line on the head. It also has the feet and legs of a calf. The third feature of the collection is an alleged mermaid. This freak has the body of a child, minus the legs, which have taken the form of a huge cattish.

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The freaks were left with Harmer over two weeks ago by J. W. Meyers, a travelling sideshow man, who claimed that he had been exhibiting them in towns in Kansas. When he arrived in Argentine he found that he did not have money enough to place them on exhibition, and asked if he could store the collection in Harmer's store. The freaks were all in a large box, and for several days Harmer did not open it. When he did a curious sight met his gaze, and as the show was too good to keep he called in a number of his neighbors. Aimost every man and woman in the main part of the city has seen the frecks, and should the owner conclude to place them on exhibition he would have a very small crowd to see them.

Several physicians who have seen the embalmed bodies say they are genuine, and that their origin is simply a freak of nature that cannot be accounted for.

HE IS NOT LOQUACIOUS.

W. J. McGrath Admits He Has No Spoken to His Wife for Three Long Months. W. J. McGrath, an employe of the Kan-

sas City, Fort Scott & Memphisrallroad was arraigned yesterday on a charge of disturbsas City, Fort Scott & Memphisraliroad was arraigned yesterday on a charge of disturbing the peace of his wife and falling to provide for her and their three children. A portion of the testimony was heard and the case was continued until next Wednesday. The McGraths live at 2239 Belleview avenue. McGrath was injured on the road some years ago and he has a life job with the company at a good salary. Despite the fact that he earns good wages, his wife testified that he did not support her their children in a proper manner. She said that they did not get enough to eat and that when she asked for money to buy food he would drive her from the house. Friday she asked for a small amount of money to buy groceries, and she says he took a board and drove her out of the house. On one occasion she said that he came home with a tenderloin steak, lighted a fire, fried the steak, sat down at a table and devoured it alone. McGrath told the court that he could not live in peace with his wife because she was jenlous and extravagant. He declared that he had lived with her under the same roof for the last three months and had not spoken a word to her in that time.

Justice Spitz was unable to form an opinion as to whether the husband or the wife is to blame and he continued the case until next Wednesday to secure the attendance of other witnesses.

POLICE COURT CASE APPEALED

Jurisdiction of the Tribunal to Be Tested in the Supreme Court in Delaney Case. A writ of prohibition was denied to John

F. Delaney by Special Judge Roland T. Hughes in the circuit court yesterday, to prevent Ben Spitz, acting as police judge, from trying him for disorderly conduct. An appeal was taken.

It is the purpose of this suit to make a test in the supreme court of the jurisdiction of the police court. Such cases as Delaney's, it is claimed, are criminal cases and should be tried before a jury in the criminal court. Should the supreme court hold that way the result would be a decided diminution in the business of the police court, if not the ultimate abolition of it. prevent Ben Spitz, acting as police judge,

Will Be No School House Levy. An injunction was granted in the circuit court yesterday restraining the county clerk from making a levy of \$200 to repair a school house near Dallas, in Washington township. The petitioners were: R. B. Lipscomb, Stubbin Watts, S. L. Malone and Edward C. Arr. and Edward C. Arn.

Court Briefs.

her divorce suit.

A temporary restraining order was granted to Louis Zweisler yesterday restraining William Fahey from dumping dirt against his premises at Twentieth and Madison streets.

Merriman, C. S. and Mattie; 2511 Forest; August 11; boy.

Hey, George and Nellie; 4001 McGee; August 17; boy.

Deaths Report

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Births Reported.

McKenzie, George and Lizzie; 1623 Genesee; August 16; girl.
Rasso, B. and Mrs.; 507 East Fourth;
August 14; girl.
Clark, W. E. and Mrs.; 2334 Garfield; August 16; boy.
Williams, B. A. and Jeanette; 2637 East
Ninth; August 16; boy.
Ferguson, T. E. and Sarah; 2431 Monroe; Ferguson, T. E. and Sarah; 2431 Monroe; August 17; girl. Settle, S. E. and Madeline; 1931 High-Settle, S. E. and Madeline, 18st Figh-land; August 12; boy. Stickney, J. K. and Love; 106 Wabash; August 15; boy. Kelling, John and Mary; 2714 Rochester; August 17; boy. Coe, Wash and Mattle: 2229 Vine; August

Kizer, George: 18½ West Twelfth; August 8; 20 years; typhoid fever. Kenney, Arna J.; 1110 Baltimore; August 7; 1 year; entero colitis. Purple, infant; 1528 Euclid; August 17; 8 layer, myellitis lays; myelitis. Curran, Mary; 1818 Belleview; August 15; 70 years; enaemia.

Madden, Martha E.; 2719 East Fifteenth;
August 16; 33 years; septicemia.

Price, Fannie; 593 Penn; August 16; 35
years; septicemia.

Garding, Della; 2519 Woodland; August 16;
36 years; tuberculosis.

Denebeim, Mrs. Flora; 1513 Lydia; August
16; 39 years; negumonia. 16: 39 years: pneumonia.

Bedinger, Pauline: 1295 Charlotte: August
16: 17 years: inflammation of the bowels.

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